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In re U.S. Patent No. 6,577,403

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Issued: January 10, 2003

Application of: Jerome Primot et al

: Attorney's Docket No. 19133

Serial No. 09/592,963

Filed: June 13, 2000

For: ACHROMATIC OPTICAL
INTERFEROMETER WITH
CONTINUOUSLY ADJUSTABLE
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PETITION TO REVIVE-UNAVOIDABLE

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR §1.378(b), Petitioner, ONERA (Office National d'Etudes et de Recherches Aerospatiales), owner of the subject patent, hereby requests that the Director of the Office declare that the expiration of the subject patent for failure to timely pay the first and second maintenance fees was the result of an unavoidable delay, and that the patent be revived.

Petitioner submits herewith the required first and second maintenance fees, the late surcharge, and a showing that the delay was unavoidable, since reasonable care was taken to ensure that the maintenance fee would be paid timely. This petition is being filed promptly after the patentee was notified of, or otherwise became aware of, the expiration of the patent.

In support of this Petition, there are submitted herewith the Declarations of Roland Lapoux and Sandrine Hamour of the firm of MARTINET & LAPOUX, of Paris, France, which was responsible for the payment of the first maintenance fee, Daniel David of the firm of GEVERS FRANCE, of Paris, France, and Anne Hottat, of

GEVERS RENEWALS, of Diegem, Belgium, a branch of GEVERS FRANCE, which was responsible for payment of the Second Maintenance fee.

Petitioner respectfully contends that it made timely transfers of the appropriate funds to its French representatives for the proper payments of the first and second maintenance fees, and that, as a consequence of a series of inadvertent administrative errors, its French representatives failed to effect the actual transfer of these funds to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. It has always been the intention of Petitioner to maintain the subject patent in force. (Exhibit 4)

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(1) First Maintenance Fee

(a) On June 28, 2006, prior to the December 10, 2006, first maintenance fee payment deadline, the firm of MARTINET & LAPOUX, of Paris, France, sent Petitioner a notice of maintenance fees due in October, November and December, 2006 (Exhibit 1).

(b) On October 23, 2006, MARTINET & LAPOUX, sent its bill to Petitioner in the amount of 1639.27 Euros (Exhibit 2), covering the cost of the first maintenance fee. This invoice confirmed that Petitioner had authorized payment on July 7, 2006. Normally, this invoice would have been generated after MARTINET & LAPOUX had received a bill from DENNEMEYER & CO. of Luxembourg, following transmittal of the maintenance fee to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. (Hamour Statement, Paragraph 4)

(c) On November 13, 2006, MARTINET & LAPOUX entered in its accounting records the receipt of 1639.27 Euros from Petitioner (Exhibit 11). This sum appeared as a deposit on the bank statement of MARTINET & LAPOUX of November 10, 2006 (Exhibit 12), as a credit on the MARTINET & LAPOUX accounting records on January 30, 2007 (Exhibit 13), and as a debit on the MARTINET & LAPOUX Journal on April 6, 2007 (Exhibit 14).

(d) Ms. Sandrine Hamour declares:

"I do not remember to point out any mistake or anomaly in the ONERA account and the Dennemeyer account for 2006." (Hamour Statement, Paragraph 6).

(e) Following her recent review, Ms. Henriette Buillas reported on January 29, 2012, that "Dennemeyer did not receive Martinet & Lapoux Office instructions between 2006 and 2007 to pay the first maintenance fee. They have this patent in their database since June 13, 2009." (Exhibit 6)

(f) Mr. Roland Lapoux declares that:

"The default in paying the maintenance fee, i.e., the absence of instruction letter from MARINET & LAPOUX to DENNEMEYER & Co. and an official statement of payment in the portfolio for December 2006, is incomprehensible and surprising, as the employees responsible for the maintenance fee management invoiced a maintenance fee only after having received a payment instruction confirmation or a payment proof, as an official statement of payment from USPTO from DENNEMEYER & Co." (Lapoux Statement, Paragraph 15)

"It is also incomprehensible and surprising that the maintenance fee management software (now destroyed) in MARTINET & LAPOUX allowed to maintain in force US patent 6,577,403 and to edit the invoice of October 23, 2006 without probably storing a date of payment of the first maintenance fee." (Lapoux Statement, Paragraph 16)

(2) Second Maintenance Fee

(a) On April 1, 2008, MARTINET & LAPOUX merged with BLOCH & BONNETAT, which became BLOCH & GEVERS, the French branch of S.A. BUREAU GEVERS. Beginning on July 1, 2008, management of the patent maintenance fees of MARTINET & LAPOUX clients was maintained by GEVERS RENEWALS and BLOCH & GEVERS. (Lapoux Statement, Paragraphs 8 and 9) On February 16, 2009, BLOCH & GEVERS authorized GEVERS RENEWALS to assume responsibility for the payment of maintenance fees for the subject U.S. Patent No. 6,577,403. (Exhibit 3)

(b) On September 2, 2010, GEVERS RENEWALS advised Petitioner that the second maintenance fee was coming due on December 10, 2010 (Exhibit 7). It was the established procedure between Petitioner and GEVERS RENEWALS that if no instructions were received, GEVERS RENEWALS would proceed with payment. (David Statement, Paragraph 3) On November 26, 2010, GEVERS RENEWALS authorized DENNEMEYER & CO. to pay this fee. (Exhibit 8), and on December 7, 2010, DENNEMEYER & CO. presented to GEVERS RENEWALS its invoice in the

amount of 1,967.86 for payment of the second maintenance fee, (Exhibit 9), and on December 10, 2010, an invoice to Petitioner was generated by GEVERS RENEWALS in the amount of 2221.00 Euros. (Exhibit 15)

(c) GEVERS RENEWALS then received a credit memo from DENNEMEYER CO. dated December 14, 2020, in the amount of 1942.66 Euro, which included the notation that patent No. 6,577,403 had "expired for non-payment on 06/10/2007." (Exhibit 10)

(d) The payment by Petitioner of the invoice of December 10, 2010 (Exhibit 15) was received by GEVERS RENEWALS on January 3, 2011. (Hottat Statement, Paragraph 6). Anne Hottat states that:

"I noted that I had to make a credit note to ONERA for the reimbursement of the fee; Due to a temporary heavy burden of work, I decided not to send the letter immediately be the credit note remained untreated and the amount of 1942.86 € was not refunded." (Hottat Statement, Paragraph 7.)

(e) Daniel David states that:

"The person in charge of the administration of the fees at GEVERS RENEWALS wrongly considered that the patent was voluntarily abandoned and did not investigate further." (David Statement, Paragraph 7)

(3) Discovery by Petitioner of Patent Expiration

(a) On January 13, 2012, Petitioner sent an E-mail to GEVERS RENEWALS, advising that it had unexpectedly discovered that the U.S. patent No. 6,577,403 had expired following the non-payment of an annuity. This E-mail was acknowledged by Daniel David on January 18, 2016. (Exhibit 4)

(b) The undersigned attorney was contacted about this matter on January 27, 2012, and an opinion was rendered by counsel to client on January 27, 2012.

(c) On March 7, 2012, client authorized counsel to proceed with the preparation and filing of the Petition to Revive, whereupon counsel and client have collaborated in collecting the appropriate Declarations, Exhibits, and English translations, and the transfer of the appropriate funds.

(d) The undersigned attorney states that this petition has been prepared and "filed promptly after the patentee was notified of, or otherwise became aware of, the expiration of the patent."

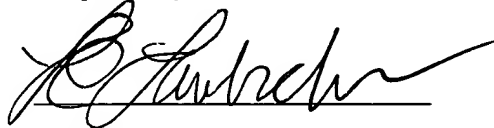
(4) Conclusion

For the reasons set for above, it is courteously requested that the Director declare that the delay in providing the first and second maintenance fees be declared unavoidable, and that the subject patent be revived.

Favorable action is courteously solicited.

The first and second maintenance fees and the Government late surcharge are submitted herewith. Please charge any addition Government fees resulting to our Account No. 50-5773.

Respectfully submitted,



April 18, 2012

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STATEMENT

I, Roland LAPOUX, manager of MARTINET & LAPOUX, 16 Chemin du Vivier, 78310 MAUREPAS, FRANCE, a French industrial property office up to April 1, 2008, and French IP attorney in BLOCH & GEVERS office, become BLOCH & BONNETAT, then GEVERS FRANCE (23 bis rue de Turin, 75009 PARIS, FRANCE), the French branch of the GEVERS GROUP, between April 1, 2008 and December 31, 2011, hereby declare

That this statement is made to file a petition to accept an "unavoidably" delayed payment under 37 CFR 1.378(b) relating to the first maintenance fee (due by December 10, 2006) of the following expired US patent, and therefore to reinstate this US patent:

Patent No.: 6,577,403 B1

Title: ACHROMATIC OPTICAL INTERFEROMETER WITH CONTINUOUSLY ADJUSTABLE SENSIVITY

Inventors: Jérôme PRIMOT and Nicolas GUERINEAU

Assignee: ONERA (Office National d'Etudes et de Recherches Aérospatiales),

29-avenue de la Division Leclerc, 92 CHATILLON, FRANCE

Application No.: 09/592,963

Filed: June 13, 2000

Date of patent : June 10, 2003

Priority Data: June 17, 1999 (FR) 99 07804.

The steps taken to ensure payment of the first maintenance fee are as follows:

1. From June 2000, ONERA entrusts MARTINET & LAPOUX with the preparation, filing, examination and grant of the above patent and designates Lawrence E. LAUBSCHER as US Attorney.

2. On June 28, 2006: MARTINET & LAPOUX sent the patentee, ONERA (attention of Hervé LACHAUD), a three-monthly remind (Exhibit 1) relating to maintenance fees of French and foreign patents with payment dates on October, November and December 2006, including above-mentioned US patent 6,577,403.

3. On July 7, 2006 (according the invoice of October 23, 2006): instructions to pay the fourth quarter 2006 maintenance fees of French and foreign patents from ONERA to MARTINET & LAPOUX.

4. August to October 2006: reminds of foreign patent maintenance fees with payment dates on December 2006 by DENNEMEYER & Co (55 rue des Bruyères, L-1274 Howald, LUXEMBOURG) to MARTINET &

LAPOUX, and payment instructions for foreign patent maintenance fees from MARTINET & LAPOUX to DENNEMEYER & Co.

5. Invoice 06/0066578 of October 23, 2006 (Exhibit 2) about payment the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 in accordance with ONERA instructions of July 03, 2006

6. On December 10, 2006: due date for the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403.

7. On March 19, 2008: client presentation contrast between S.A. BUREAU GEVERS (Rue de Livourne, 7 à 1060 – Bruxelles, BELGIUM) and MARTINET & LAPOUX.

8. On April 1, 2008: transfer of the MARTINET & LAPOUX activity to BLOCH & GEVERS office, become BLOCH & BONNETAT, then GEVERS FRANCE (23 bis rue de Turin, 75009 PARIS, FRANCE) according to the corporate contrast dated March 19, 2008, S.A. BUREAU GEVERS having entrusted BLOCH & GEVERS (the French branch of S.A. BUREAU GEVERS) with the management of MARTINET & LAPOUX clients.

MARTINET & LAPOUX ceased to have any employee from April 1, 2008.

9. From July 1, 2008: management of all the patent maintenance fees for the MARTINET & LAPOUX clients by the division GEVERS RENEWALS in GEVERS (Holidaystraat 5, B-1831 Diegem – Bruxelles, BELGIUM) and BLOCH & GEVERS.

10. On February 16, 2009: request (Exhibit 3) from BLOCH & GEVERS to take responsibility for the maintenance fees of US patent 6,577,403 by division GEVERS RENEWALS in GEVERS.

11. On January 1, 2012: I ceased activity in the industrial property field.

12. On January 16, 2012: GEVERS FRANCE forwarded to MARTINET & LAPOUX, i.e. myself, (Exhibit 4) an email of January 13, 2012 from Hervé LACHAUD, ONERA, having established by online consultation of USPTO patent bibliographic data that above-mentioned US patent 6,577,403 expired for failure to pay maintenance fee.

GEVERS FRANCE informed MARTINET & LAPOUX by phone interviews that USPTO had refused the payment of the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 due by December 10, 2010.

13. January 17 to 20, 2012:

I confirmed failure to pay maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 on the USPTO website (Exhibit 5) and therefore expiration of the patent on June 10, 2007 (due date + six-month grace period) and expiration of the unintentional delayed payment of the maintenance fee on June 10, 2009 (due date (December 10, 2006) + 6 + 24 months).

I searched through maintenance fee and account archives of MARTINET & LAPOUX between July 2006 and June 2007 for evidences of the payment of the maintenance fee.

I only found:

- Letter of June 28, 2006 (Exhibit 1) sent the patentee, ONERA (attention of Hervé LACHAUD) relating to three-monthly maintenance fees of French and foreign patents with payment dates on October, November and December 2006;

- Invoice 06/0066578 of October 23, 2006 (Exhibit 2) confirming payment the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 in accordance with ONERA instructions of July 03, 2006.

Particularly I did not find in the maintenance fee portfolio for December 2006, the letters relating to seven foreign patents and accompanying the letter of June 28, 2006 addressed by MARTINET & LAPOUX to ONERA (Exhibit 1), the instructions to pay the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 to DENNEMEYER & Co and an official statement proving the payment of the maintenance fee.

I checked that the maintenance fee payments for the foreign patents with a due date within December 2006 were correct. E.g., for US, I only found

US patent No. 6,575,658 (patentee: NACAM FRANCE S.A.) having as due date December 10, 2006 for the first maintenance fee and the "MAINTENANCE FEE STATEMENT" from USPTO dated "RAMPS 12/01/2006 04:22:39 AM EST", forwarded by DENNEMEYER & Co; and

US patent No. 6,578,872 (patentee: NACAM FRANCE S.A.) having as due date December 17, 2006 for the first maintenance fee and the "MAINTENANCE FEE STATEMENT" from USPTO dated "RAMPS 12/08/2006 03:52:52 AM EST", forwarded by DENNEMEYER & Co.

14. On January 23, 2012, GEVERS FRANCE sent to MARTINET & LAPOUX the following email (Exhibit 6):

DENNEMEYER & Co received no instructions from MARTINET & LAPOUX between 2006 and 2007 to pay the maintenance fee. US patent 6,577,403 was stored in DENNEMEYER & Co database only from June 13, 2009.

This date is consistent with

The request of February 16, 2009 from BLOCH & GEVERS to take responsibility for the maintenance fees of US patent 6,577,403 by division GEVERS RENEWALS that also forwards maintenance fee payment instructions to DENNEMEYER & Co; and

The recent event mention: "09/16/2009, Payor Number Assigned" included in the Patent Bibliographic Data from USPTO.

The date of June 13, 2009 unfortunately occurred 3 days after June 10, 2009 to revive the patent on the basis of an "unintentional" delay.

15. The default in paying the maintenance fee, i.e. the absence of instruction letter from MARTINET & LAPOUX to DENNEMEYER & Co and an official statement of payment in the portfolio for December 2006, is incomprehensible and surprising, as the employees responsible for the maintenance fee management invoiced a maintenance fee only after having received a payment instruction confirmation or a payment proof, as an official statement of payment from USPTO, from DENNEMEYER & Co.

16. It is also incomprehensible and surprising that the maintenance fee management software (now destroyed) in MARTINET & LAPOUX allowed to maintain in force US patent 6,577,403 and to edit the invoice of October 23, 2006 without probably storing a date of payment of the first maintenance fee.

17. It is also surprising that USPTO stored on September 16, 2009 DENNEMEYER & Co as "address for fee purposes" for a patent having expired on June 10, 2007 and did not inform DENNEMEYER & Co of this expiration date.

18. Subsequently, I requested to LAUBSCHER & LAUBSCHER through GEVERS FRANCE to prepare the documents required to reinstate the patent.

GEVERS FRANCE informed me that another statement will be filed with the petition to accept an "unavoidably" delayed payment under 37 CFR 1.378(b) and will relate to the second maintenance fee (due by December 10, 2010) of the expired US patent 6,577,403.

19. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 of the United States Code.

February 16, 2012


Roland LAPOUX

Encl.: Exhibits 1 to 6 (PDF with signets).



STATEMENT

I, Sandrine HAMOUR, bookkeeper of GEVERS FRANCE (23 bis rue de Turin, 75009 PARIS, FRANCE), the French branch of the GEVERS GROUP, hereby declare

That this statement is made in relation to Roland LAPOUX and Daniel DAVID statements to file a petition to accept an "unavoidably" delayed payment under 37 CFR 1.378(b) relating to the first maintenance fee (due by December 10, 2006) of the following expired US patent, and therefore to reinstate this US patent:

Patent No.: 6,577,403 B1

Title: ACHROMATIC OPTICAL INTERFEROMETER WITH CONTINUOUSLY ADJUSTABLE SENSIVITY

Inventors: Jérôme PRIMOT and Nicolas GUERINEAU

Assignee: ONERA (Office National d'Etudes et de Recherches Aérospatiales),
29-avenue de la Division Leclerc, 92 CHATILLON, FRANCE

Application No.: 09/592,963

Filed: June 13, 2000

Date of patent : June 10, 2003

Priority Data: June 17, 1999 (FR) 99 07804.

In 2006, I was bookkeeper and annuity clerk of the MARTINET & LAPOUX office and used the bookkeeping software and the annuity management software of the MARTINET & LAPOUX office.

1. On June 28, 2006, I sent the patentee, ONERA (attention of Hervé LACHAUD), a three-monthly remind (Exhibit 1) relating to maintenance fees of French and foreign patents with payment dates on October, November and December 2006, including above-mentioned US patent 6,577,403.

2. On July 7, 2006, according the invoice of October 23, 2006 (Exhibit 2), I received instructions to pay the fourth-quarter-2006 maintenance fees of French and foreign patents from ONERA.

3. Between August and October 2006, I received from DENNEMEYER & Co (55 rue des Bruyères, L-1274 Howald, LUXEMBOURG) reminds of maintenance fees with payment dates on December 2006 for foreign patents managed by MARTINET & LAPOUX, and I sent payment instructions for maintenance fees of foreign patents managed by MARTINET & LAPOUX to DENNEMEYER & Co.

4. On October 23, 2006, I edited an invoice 06/0066578 (Exhibit 2) about payment the maintenance fee of US patent 6,577,403 in accordance with ONERA instructions of July 03, 2006. The charge of Dennemeyer of 1092.50 € about included the first maintenance fee of 900 \$ converted in Euro and the Dennemeyer services fee and were automatically computed by the maintenance fee management software. I normally edited an invoice of this type when I received a payment confirmation of the maintenance fee from DENNEMEYER & Co.

5. On November 13, 2006, I scanned the bank account of MARTINET & LAPOUX, I printed the bank wire transfer of 1639.27 Euros dated November 10, 2006 from "ONERA Chatillon" (Exhibit 11), corresponding to invoice 06/0066578 (Exhibit 2), and I recorded this transfer as an internal transaction "B11010". Then on receipt of the bank statement N°155 (Exhibit 12) of MARTINET & LAPOUX bank account dated

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November 10, 2006, I verified the debit and credit columns on this statement and I particularly pointed the "ONERA Chatillon" transfer of November 10, 2006 (Exhibit 12: statement N° 155, page 2, end of "CREDIT in EUROS" column, line "10.11 VIREMT ONERA Chatillon") relating to the amount of 1639.27 Euros.

6. For preparing the 2006 balance of the MARTINET & LAPOUX office, I edited the subsidiary accounts of the clients, particularly the ONERA subsidiary account (Exhibit 13: in French "Grand-livre des tiers-Client") on January 30, 2007 indicating on the bottom of page 2 the ONERA transfer of November 10, 2006 (column Date, line "101106 ... B11010N") relating to the amount of 1639.27 Euros in the "credit" column; and I edited the bank special journal of November 2006 on April 06, 2007 (Exhibit 14) indicating on page 3, lines 7-8, the ONERA transfer "B11010" of November 10, 2006 (day column "101106") relating to the amount of 1639.27 Euros.

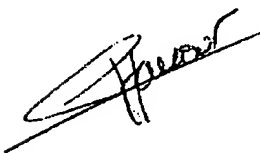
I do not remember to point out any mistake or anomaly in the ONERA account and the Denнемeyer account for 2006.

7. On April 1, 2008, I leaved the MARTINET & LAPOUX office and became a bookkeeper in BLOCH & GEVERS office, become BLOCH & BONNETAT, then GEVERS FRANCE.

8. From July 1, 2008, I ceased to manage the patent maintenance fees for the MARTINET & LAPOUX clients.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 of the United States Code.

March 19, 2012.



Sandrine HAMOUR

Encl.: Exhibits 11 to 14.



Statement

I, Daniel DAVID, manager of GEVERS FRANCE, 23 bis rue de Turin, Paris France,

Hereby declare

That this statement is made in relation to the petition filed by R. LAPOUX to accept an « unavoidably » delayed payment under 37 CFR 1.378(b) relating to the first maintenance fee of the following expired US patent and therefore to reinstate this US patent:

Patent: US 6,577,403 B1

Title: Achromatic optical interferometer with continuously adjustable sensitivity.

Inventors: J. PRIMOT and N. GUERINEAU,

Assigne: ONERA (office national d'études et de recherches aérospatiales)

Application: 09/592963

Filed: June 13 2000,

Date of patent: June 10, 2003,

Priority data: June 17, 1999 (FR) 990784.

The steps taken to ensure payment of the second maintenance fee are as follows :

- 1) Reference is made to the statement filed by R. LAPOUX in support of his petition.
- 2) On September 2, 2010 GEVERS RENEWALS sent a reminder letter to ONERA for the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403- Exhibit 7.
- 3) According to an established procedure between Onera and GEVERS RENEWALS, if no reply to the contrary is given by ONERA then Gevers has to pay the renewal fee.
- 4) On November 26, 2010 GEVERS RENEWALS sent an instruction letter to DENNEMEYER & CO for the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403- Exhibit 8.
- 5) On December 7, 2010 GEVERS RENEWALS received an invoice from DENNEMEYER relating to the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403 - Exhibit 9.

- 6) On December 14 GEVERS RENEWALS received a credit note from DENNEMEYER with a mention that the patent expired for no-payment on 03/10/2007 - exhibit 10.
- 7) The person in charge of the administration of the fees at GEVERS RENEWALS wrongly considered that the patent was voluntarily abandoned and did not investigate further.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine and imprisonment or both under 18 U.S.C. §1001 of the United States Code.

February 29, 2012

Daniel DAVID

Encl. Exhibits 7-10



Statement

I, Anne Hottat, employee at the annuity department of GEVERS PATENTS, Intellectual Property House, Holidaystraat, 5; 1831 Diegem (Belgium) since 1988.

Hereby declare

That this statement is made to file a petition to accept an "unavoidably" delayed payment under 37 CFR 1,378(b) relating to the maintenance fee of the following expired US patent, and therefore to reinstate this US patent:

Patent: US 6,577,403 B1

Title: Achromatic optical interferometer with continuously adjustable sensitivity.

Inventors: J. PRIMOT and N. GUERINEAU,

Assignee: ONERA (office national d'études et de recherches aérospatiales)

Application: 09/592963

Filed: June 13 2000,

Date of patent: June 10, 2003,

Priority data: June 17, 1989 (FR) 990784.

The steps taken to ensure payment of the second maintenance fee are as follows:

- 1) On September 2, 2010, I sent a reminder letter to ONERA for the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403- Exhibit 7.
- 2) On November 26, 2010 I sent an instruction letter to DENNEMEYER & CO for the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403- Exhibit 8.
- 3) On December 7, 2010 I received an invoice from DENNEMEYER relating to the payment of the second renewal fee of US 6,577,403 – Exhibit 9 that I transferred to the accounting Department for payment to DENNEMEYER.
- 4) On December 14, 2010 I received a credit note from DENNEMEYER with a mention that the patent expired for non-payment on 03/10/2007 – exhibit 10;
- 5) I considered that ONERA abandoned the patent and did not investigate further;
- 6) GEVERS received the payment of ONERA on January 3, 2011.
- 7) I noted that I had to make a credit note to ONERA for the reimbursement of the fee; Due to a temporary heavy burden of work I decided not to send the letter immediately but the credit note remained untreated and the amount of 1942.86€ was not refunded;

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February 29, 2012

Anne HOTTAT

EXHIBIT 1

St Quentin, June 28 2006

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Service des affaires juridiques
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Our Ref.: rappelaonera4tri2006

Quarterly statement

**French and foreign annuities coming due on October, novembre and
december 2006**

Dear Sirs,

Please find herewith enclosed our annuities reminder letters regarding your patents
or french and foreign patent applications due on **October, novembre and
decembre 2006**.

Each annuities reminder letter has to be returned to us before **August 31,
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Sandrine Hamour

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EXHIBIT 1

St Quentin, Le 28 juin 2006

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ANNUITES FRANCAISES ET ETRANGERES VENANT A ECHEANCE

EN OCTOBRE, NOVEMBRE ET DECEMBRE 2006

Cher Monsieur,

Vous trouverez sous ce pli des lettres de rappel de vos brevets ou demandes de brevet français et étrangers venant à échéance aux mois de Octobre, Novembre et Décembre 2006.

Chaque lettre de rappel doit nous être retournée avant le 31 AOÛT 2006. Chacune des annuités des brevets ou demandes de brevet concernés sera payée à notre convenance entre la réception de vos instructions et son échéance.

Vous noterez que le dernier paragraphe dans les lettres de rappel ne vous concerne pas et la communication de vos instructions pour toutes les lettres de rappel doit intervenir avant la date indiquée ci-dessus.

Nous restons à votre entière disposition et vous prions de croire, Cher Monsieur, à l'assurance de nos sentiments les meilleurs.

Responsable Annuités
Sandrine HAMOUR

P.J. : 10 lettres de rappel de brevets français
7 lettres de rappel de brevets étrangers

EXHIBIT 2

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Saint-Quentin, October 23, 2006

According to your instructions of July 03, 2006, we proceeded with the payment of the above mentioned maintenance fee.

Debit note n°06/006578

Type: Patent
Country: United States of America
Number: 09/592,963
Filing date: 10 june 2003
Owner: ONERA
Title: Achromatic optical interferometer with continuously adjustable sensitivity
Inventors: PRIMOT Jérôme
GUERINEAU Nicolas
Priority: FR99-07804 17 juin 1999

Maintenance fee paid : 1

Due date : 10 december 2006

Outlay: 1092.50€
Fees: 278.13€

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Total payable: 1639.27€

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Saint-Quentin, le 23 octobre 2006

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Conformément à vos instructions du 3 juillet 2006, nous avons procédé au paiement de la redevance annuelle ci-dessous référencée:

FACTURE N° 08/000578

Type	Brevet d'invention
Pays	ETATS-UNIS D'AMERIQUE
Número	09/592.983M
Date de dépôt	10 juin 2003
Titulaire	ONERA (Office National d'Etudes et de Recherches Aéronautiques)
Titre	Interféromètre optique achromatique, du type à sensibilité c
Inventeurs	PRIMOT Jérôme GUERINEAU Nicolas
Priorité	FR 05-07804 17 juin 1999

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Débours	1032.50 €
Honoraires	278.13 €
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Our Ref.: 5025673

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Country:	United States of America
Filing date:	13/06/2000
Application number:	09/592,963
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Madam,

Please take the necessary steps to keep alive the patent application.

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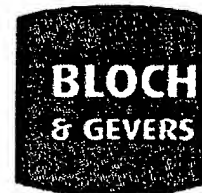


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Our Ref.: **5025673**

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Date de dépôt:	13/06/2000
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Titre:	Interféromètre optique achromatique, du type à sensibilité continûment réglable
Date de 1ère priorité:	17/06/1999
Correspondant annuités :	O.N.E.R.A. - DCV 29 av. de la Division Leclerc 92322 CHATILLON Cédex
Référence correspondant:	

Madame,

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From: Daniel David
Sent: Monday 16 January 11:32
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Subject: RE:2120 US -Patent lapsed

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We proceed to the controls of our services et we will revert to you as soon as possible.

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Daniel DAVID

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From: DCV/2I-PISent: Friday 13 January 2012 16:30
To: Info Bloch
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Ref.: US 6577403

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Hervé Lachaud.....

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From: Daniel DAVID
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Bonjour M. Lachaux,

Nous accusons réception de votre message.

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Bien à vous.

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Jérôme; LACHAUD Laurence; Annick Allemand Objet : 2120 US - Déchéance de brevet

Réf. : US 6577403

Messieurs,

En consultant inopinément le registre des brevets américains de l'USPTO, j'ai constaté avec surprise que le brevet en référence était tombé dans le domaine public suite au non paiement d'une annuité (cf. document attaché).

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Dans l'attente de vous lire,

Hervé Lachaud

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Examiner Name:	TURNER, SAMUEL A	Location:	FILE REPOSITORY (FRANCONIA)
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Sent: Monday 23 January 2012 10:12
To: Roland Lapoux; Daniel David
Subject: RE:ONE0008US 09/592,963-6,577,403;ID5025673;RE:2120 US-Lapse of patent

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Good morning M. Lapoux,

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Sincerely yours,

Henriette BUIILLAS
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From: Henriette BULLAS
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Bonjour M. Lapoux,

Dennemeyer n'a pas reçu d'instructions du Cabinet Martinet & Lapoux entre 2006 et 2007 de
payer la première annuité.

Ils ont ce brevet dans leur base de données que depuis le 13 juin 2009.

Cdt,

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Henriette BULLAS
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Diegem, September 02, 2010

O/Ref. : 9049322

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Please forward to us your instructions, at the latest November 10, 2010, by checking the appropriate box.

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A l'attention de Mme. Lachaux

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Nous vous prions de bien vouloir accuser réception du présent ordre en nous retournant le document ci-joint.

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December 10, 2010

Total to reimburse -1,942,86 EUR

DETAILS

<u>Reference</u>	<u>Country</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Due date</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>Currency</u>
314677 8017377	US	6577403	12/10/2010		
-refund of the 08 annual fee				-1,942,86	EUR
-patent expired for non-payment on 06/10/2007					
Total to reimburse				-1,942.86	EUR

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TOTAL TO REIMBURSE	-1,942.86 EUR

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DETAILS

Reference	Country	Number	Due Date	Amount	Currency
314677 8017377	US	6577403	10/12/2010	-1,942.86	EUR
- Remboursement de la 8eme annuité - Patent expired for non-payment on 06/10/2007					

TOTAL TO REIMBURSE -1,942.86 EUR

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Titulaire	MARTINET ET LAPOUX SARL
Compte	08998 070570T Compte Courant
Montant	1 639,27 EUR
Libellé	VIREMT ONERA Chatillon) 276121 30003 04260 00020010421 / 6578 -
Date de l'opération	10/11/2006
Date de valeur	11/11/2006
Nature de l'opération	VIREMENTS RECUS
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-----Domiciliation-----
MONTIGNY ST QUENT VIL (08998)

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MARTINET ET LAPOUX SARL

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Owner Y/Ref. :	Patent number (Application number)	Annulty Country	Due date	Amount
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TOTAL PAYABLE : EUR 2221,00

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NOTE DE DEBIT No. 1093844 du 10 décembre 2010

Titulaire V/Réf.	Brevet # (Demande #)	Annuité # Pays	Échéance	Montant
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Total à payer : EUR 2.221,00

Délai de paiement :	Au comptant
A mentionner lors du paiement :	314677 F1093844
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